

Employment status of the civilian noninstitutional population by sex, age, race, and Hispanic origin, 2002 annual averages

Montana

(Numbers in thousands)

Population group	Civilian non-institutional population	Civilian labor force		Employment		Unemployment			
		Number	Percent of Population	Number	Percent of Population	Number	Rate	Error range of rate ¹	
Total	706	464	65.7	442	62.7	21	4.6	4.0	- 5.2
Men	348	246	70.8	233	67.0	13	5.4	4.5	- 6.3
Women	358	217	60.7	209	58.5	8	3.8	3.0	- 4.6
Both sexes, 16 to 19 years	53	28	52.0	24	44.4	4	14.6	11.0	- 18.2
White	664	439	66.1	420	63.3	18	4.2	3.6	- 4.8
Men	328	234	71.3	223	67.9	11	4.8	4.0	- 5.6
Women	335	204	61.0	197	58.8	7	3.5	2.7	- 4.3
Both sexes, 16 to 19 years	49	26	52.4	22	45.5	3	13.1	9.5	- 16.7
Detailed characteristics:									
Total									
16 to 19 years	53	28	52.0	24	44.4	4	14.6	11.0	- 18.2
20 to 24 years	53	42	79.9	39	74.3	3	7.0	4.7	- 9.3
25 to 34 years	101	85	84.6	81	80.3	4	5.0	3.6	- 6.4
35 to 44 years	134	116	86.7	112	83.4	4	3.8	2.7	- 4.9
45 to 54 years	140	116	82.5	112	80.1	3	2.9	2.0	- 3.8
55 to 64 years	91	58	63.2	56	61.7	1	2.3	1.1	- 3.5
65 years and over	133	19	14.4	18	13.6	1	5.0	2.1	- 7.9
Men									
16 to 19 years	31	15	50.1	13	41.3	3	17.6	12.7	- 22.5
20 to 24 years	25	21	83.7	20	77.6	2	7.3	4.0	- 10.6
25 to 34 years	51	47	91.9	44	86.1	3	6.3	4.2	- 8.4
35 to 44 years	66	60	92.0	58	88.4	2	3.8	2.3	- 5.3
45 to 54 years	70	62	87.5	59	84.3	2	3.6	2.2	- 5.0
55 to 64 years	44	29	65.9	28	64.4	1	2.2	.6	- 3.8
65 years and over	61	12	20.0	11	18.6	1	7.0	2.8	- 11.2
Women									
16 to 19 years	23	12	54.4	11	48.5	1	10.9	6.0	- 15.8
20 to 24 years	28	21	76.4	20	71.2	1	6.8	3.6	- 10.0
25 to 34 years	50	38	77.1	37	74.4	1	3.5	1.7	- 5.3
35 to 44 years	68	56	81.6	53	78.5	2	3.8	2.3	- 5.3
45 to 54 years	70	54	77.5	53	75.8	1	2.2	1.0	- 3.4
55 to 64 years	48	29	60.7	28	59.3	1	2.3	.6	- 4.0
White									
16 to 19 years	49	26	52.4	22	45.5	3	13.1	9.5	- 16.7
20 to 24 years	48	39	81.5	37	76.4	2	6.3	4.1	- 8.5
25 to 34 years	93	80	85.4	76	81.5	4	4.6	3.2	- 6.0
35 to 44 years	126	110	87.5	106	84.5	4	3.5	2.5	- 4.5
45 to 54 years	131	109	83.0	106	80.9	3	2.5	1.6	- 3.4
55 to 64 years	87	56	64.4	55	63.0	1	2.2	1.0	- 3.4
65 years and over	129	19	14.4	18	13.6	1	5.2	2.2	- 8.2

¹ Error ranges are calculated at the 90-percent confidence interval, which means that if repeated samples were drawn from the same population and an error range constructed around each sample estimate, in 9 out of 10 cases the true value based on a complete census of the population would be contained within these error ranges.

² Error ranges cannot be properly computed when the number of sample cases is very small and/or the unemployment rate is low.

³ Less than 500 persons or less than 0.05 percent.

NOTE: Data for demographic groups are not shown when they do not meet BLS publication standards of reliability for the particular area based on the sample in that area. Items may not add to totals

because of rounding. Detail for race and Hispanic-origin groups will not add to totals because data for the "other races" group are not presented and Hispanics are included in both the white and black population groups. Data incorporate updated 2000 census-based population controls.